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S E C R E T JERUSALEM 867

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PBOR, MARR, UNSC, IS, LE, XF
SUBJECT: ISRAELI WITHDRAWAL FROM LEBANON

REF: A) DAMASCUS 1649, B) JERUSALEM 847

1. SIILASVUO KEENLY AWARE OF NECESSARY FOR TIMETABLE OF ISRAELI WITHDRAWAL (JERUSALEM 847). TO DATE, HE HAS BEEN CONCENTRATING ON IMMEDIATE TASK OF GETTING INITIAL UNIFIL, CONTINGENTS IN PLACE ALONG THE LITANI. IN ADDITION, I SENSE HE HAS FELT WEIZMAN AND GUR WOULD REFUSE TO DISCUSS WITHDRAWAL SERIOUSLY UNTIL SIZEABLE UN UNITS WERE ACTUALLY DEPLOYED IN SOUTHERN LEBANON. PHILIPP HAS SENT MESSAGE TO SIILASVUO MENTIONED PARA TWO DAMASCUS 1649.

2. SIILASVUO, PRIITO AND JONAH MEETING GENERAL GUR IN TEL AVIV 1600 THIS AFTERNOON. USING UPCOMING TRIP TO DAMASCUS AS A PEG, I URGED SIILASVUO TO RAISE SCHEDULE FOR WITH-
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DRAWAL NOW THAT CEASEFIRE IS IN EFFECT AND PROBLEMS WITH UNIFIL DEPLOYMENT CURRENTLY MANAGEABLE. HE PROMISED TO DO SO AND LET US KNOW RESULTS.

3. OUR IMPRESSION IS THAT UN HAS IN MIND WITHDRAWAL OF IDF WOULD BE IN STAGES BY AREAS OR SECTORS VACATED BY THE IDF AND TAKEN OVER TEMPORARILY BY UNIFIL UNTIL COMPLETE

WITHDRAWAL IS ACHIEVED.

4. TEL AVIV'S VERY HELPFUL 4021 JUST RECEIVED. EVEN IF
NO PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT MADE, HOPE SIILASVUO CAN USE 1800 -
2000 MAN PULLBACK FIGURE.
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